

Amendments to the Abstract

Please replace the Abstract of the Disclosure with the following abstract.

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A molding composition comprising a (co)polymer of vinylcyclohexane is disclosed. The copolymer is characterized in having an absolute molecular weight M_w of 100,000 to 450,000 g/mol, polydispersity index of 1 to 3 and maximum melt viscosity of 1000 Pa.s, as measured at 300°C and at a shear rate of 1000 sec⁻¹. The composition is suitable for producing a variety of molded article most notably optical data storage media.